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January 11, 2007

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Department of Natural Resources
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: McGehee- Siphonina Davisi Zone, Reservoir A
COLLEGE POINT- ST JAMES FIELD
St. James Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of BTA Oil Producers to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the McGehee-Siphonina Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, in the College Point - St. James Field, St. James Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the McGehee-Siphonina Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, in the College Point - St James Field, St. James Parish, Louisiana.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for this zone and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created.
3. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the unit so created as may be appropriate.
4. To provide that any future wells drilled to the McGehee-Siphonina Davisi Zone, Reservoir A, within or outside of the unit created herein, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
5. To provide that the Commissioner may reclassify the Reservoir by supplemental order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such reclassification be warranted, based on evidence furnished the Commissioner.
6. To discuss any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The McGehee-Siphonina Davisi Zone, in the College Point - St. James Field, St. James Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order 764-G, effective August 29, 2006.

In addition to furnishing the legal notice to all Interested Parties, the applicant will provide for POSTING of the legal notice of the hearing and unit plat in a prominent place in the area of the College Point - St. James Field, St. James Parish, Louisiana, and will cause the legal notice of the hearing to be PUBLISHED in a newspaper of general circulation published in the vicinity of the College Point - St. James Field, St. James Parish, Louisiana, at least fifteen (15) days before the hearing date.

Any pertinent data relating to the subject application can be obtained, **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY**, from David Comeaux at Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette, Louisiana 70505 (337-233-9839).

In compliance with the Rules of Procedure, a preapplication conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana, on January 5, 2007 at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance.

The conference was opened with a discussion by Mr. David Comeaux, representing BTA Oil Producers, concerning the nature and purpose of the conference and the bases for the applicant's proposed unit.

Mr. Bryan Groves, representing John Ory, et al, presented a counterplan which differed from the applicant in the placement of all the unit boundaries.

Since the conference the parties have resolved their differences, accordingly, a revised plat is attached to the application. It is anticipated that there will be no opposition at the hearing.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof a revised plat outlining the proposed unit, the conference attendance list, and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom this application is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished **ONLY** to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, said list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, BTA Oil Producers, in the sum of \$755.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOCIATES



David Comeaux

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
Office of Conservation
825 Kaliste Saloom Rd.
Brandywine III, Suite 220
Lafayette, Louisiana 70508

Interested Parties, Interested
Owners and Represented Parties

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

5 T 1 2 S - R 4 E

71

Rutherford
Falgoust
D1
11700'

8

10

Rutherford
McGehee

12800'MD
12725'VD

Succession of John Guy McGehee

Ann Blanchard

John Ory, Jr., et ux
John Ory, Jr., et ux
John Ory, Jr., et ux

Congregation of St. Michael
Roman Catholic Church

Rutherford
SL560McGehee

1

12425'MD
11865'VD

Lamson
SL-560

12030'MD
11920'MD

John Ory, Jr., et al

Madgovitz Agency

Kenneth W. Watkins, et ux

Robert Lloyd Duhe, et ux

Joseph J. Concello
Elmwood Marine Services
Lloyd Aime
Mark Anderson, et ux
James E. Bourgeois
Mark Anderson, et ux

BTA
Loc 1

John Ory, Jr., et al

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BROWNING OIL CO.
John Ory, Jr., et al

11952'

Roman Catholic Church

Joachim Breud, et al

Congregation of St. Michael

S. Puccio Est. et al

Mrs. Laura B. Rossie

Cayman
Ory

10970'

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MCG-SD RA SUA
JOHN R. ORY, JR.
±240 ACRES

Cayman
Lambert

10861'

EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO. 07-

BTA OIL PRODUCERS

COLLEGE PT. - ST. JAMES FIELD
ST. JAMES PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
McGEHEE - SIPHONINA DAVISI ZONE

Witness: David Comeaux

0' 1000' 2000'

DATE:

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LAFAYETTE, LOUISIANA 337-233-9839

— APO 764-F (TERMINATED BY 29-L-3)



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